



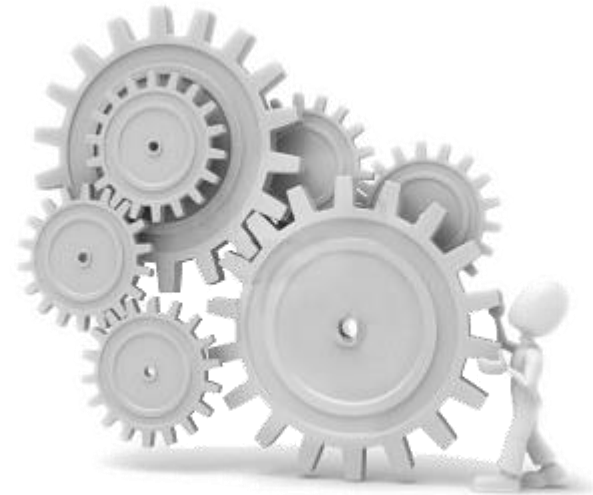
TEST AUTOMATION PRACTICE WITH SELENIUM WEBDRIVER

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Agenda

- 1 Automated Web Testing in general
- 2 Record and Replay
- 3 Introduction to Selenium
- 4 Environment setup
- 5 Assertions
- 6 Navigations



CHAPTER 1

AUTOMATED WEB TESTING IN GENERAL

Automated (web) testing

- Using a software tool to run **repeatable** tests against the application to be tested
- Necessary for regression testing
- Simulate end user behavior as much as possible
 - Record and Playback
 - Language -> Driver -> Browser
- Plays nicely with TDD, BDD software development process



When **NOT** to automate?

- if the application's user interface will change considerably in the near future, then any automation might need to be rewritten anyway
- automation for images, texts, ads, overall outline of page might be not be worthwhile
- sometimes there is simply not enough time to build test automation.
- For the short term, manual testing may be more effective



CHAPTER 2

RECORD AND REPLAY

Record and Replay

- Record exact user interactions previously performed by the tester
- Easy to create test cases
- Ineffective repetition
- Limited options
- Limited verification capabilities
- e.g. **Selenium IDE** , iMacros, QTP, TestComplete



CHAPTER 3

SELENIUM WEBDRIVER

Script->Driver->Browser

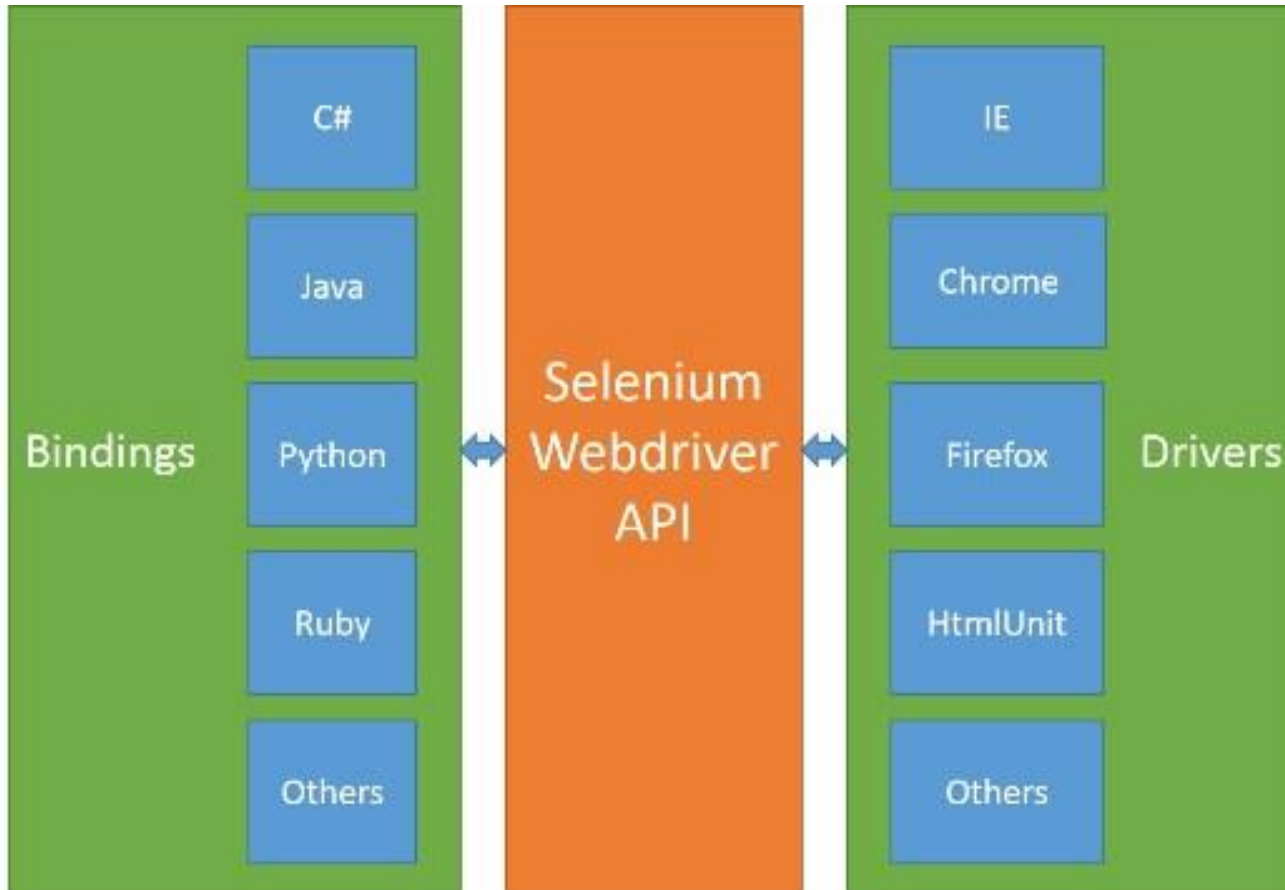
- **Selenium Webdriver**

- Selenium Grid
- Watir
- Capybara
- PhantomJS



Script->Driver->Browser structure

Selenium Webdriver



Browsers



HtmlUnit

GUI-Less browser for Java programs

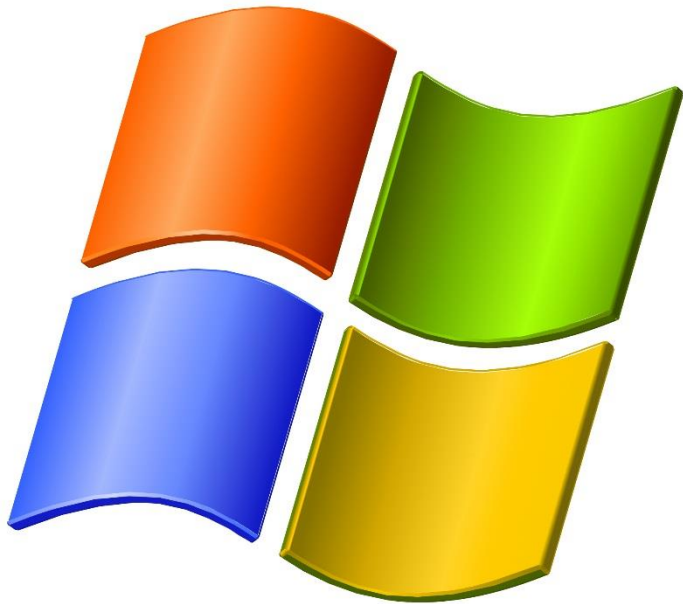


Challenges – Browser differences

- Major functionality is consistent but there can be subtle differences in:
 - Browser size
 - Screenshots
 - Element visibility
 - Performance
 - Native events
 - Cookie management
- IE is the worst offender



Supported OS

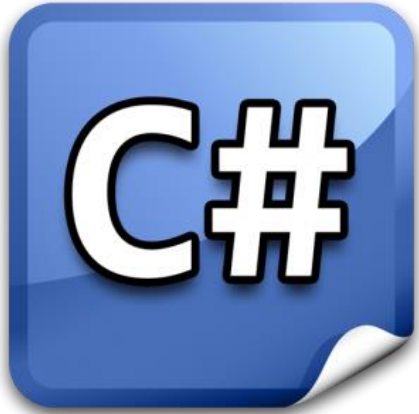


LinuxTM



iOS

Supported Programming Languages



JavaScript



Chapter 4

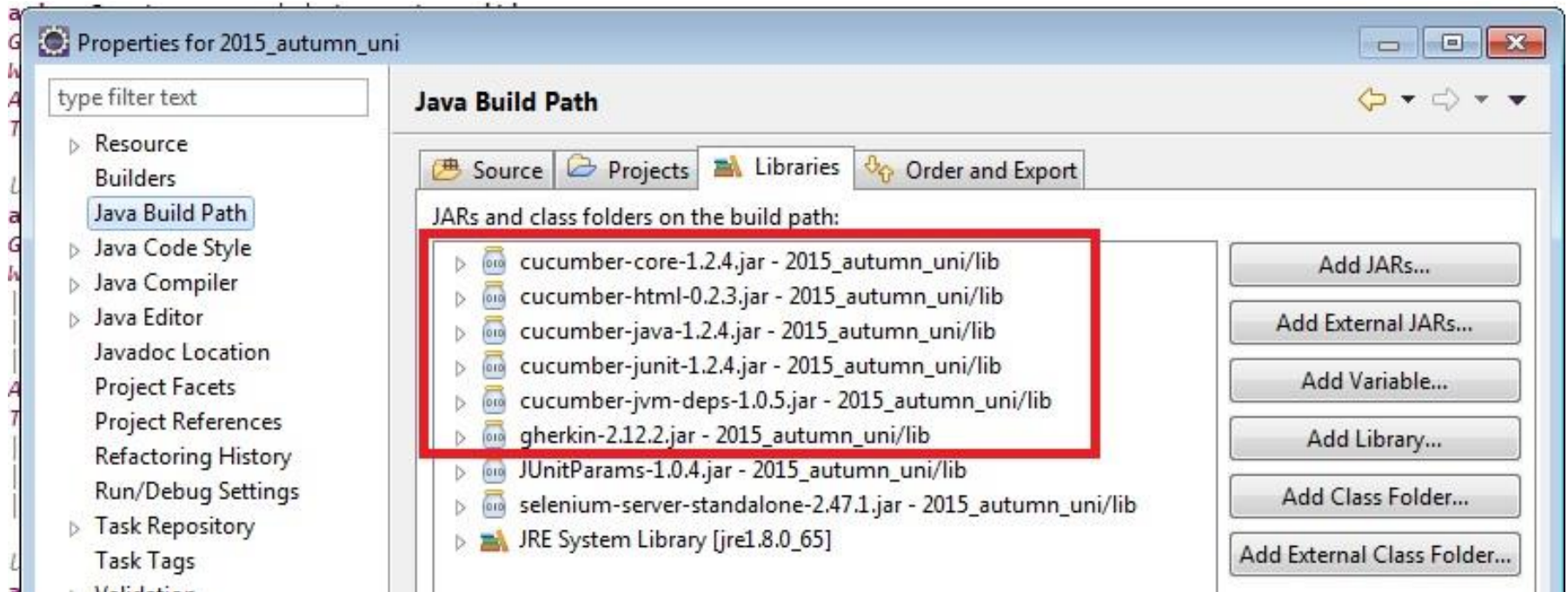
ENVIRONMENT SETUP

Eclipse setup

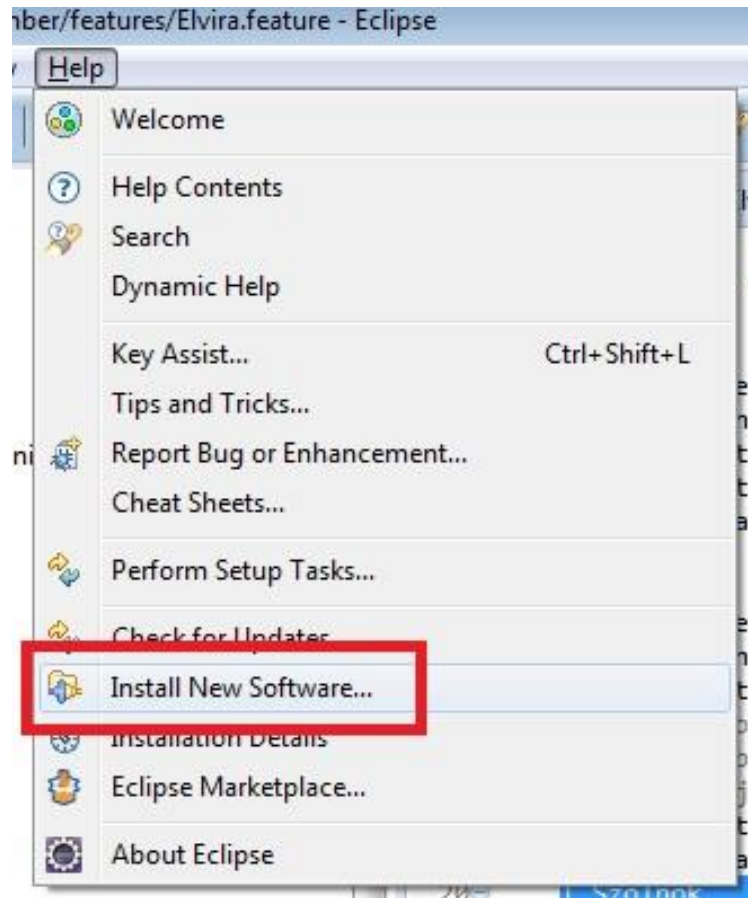
- [Download eclipse](#)
- Deploy eclipse: use administrator mode
- Open project:
 - Right click on Package Explorer -> Import... -> Existing Project
- Help -> Eclipse marketplace -> Natural 0.7.6
- Help -> Install new software -> work with <[cucumber update site](#)>
- Window -> Preferences -> General -> Workspace -> change character encode to UTF-8
- Start chrome driver in drivers folder (non administrator mode)
- Run test

Cucumber in Eclipse

Add JARs to your project



Cucumber in Eclipse



Help -> Install New Software

Work with: Cucumber



CHAPTER 5

ASSERTION

Assertion

Fail method

```
fail(error_message)
```

Conditional assert

```
assertTrue(error_message, boolean_condition)
```

Equality assert

```
assertEquals(error_message, expected, actual)
```

Provide meaningful messages in assertions!

Assertion

Identity assert

`assertSame(error_message, expected_object, actual_object)`

Custom assert

`assertThat(actual_object, Matcher<object> matcher)`

String assert

`assertThat("myString", containsString("ring"))`

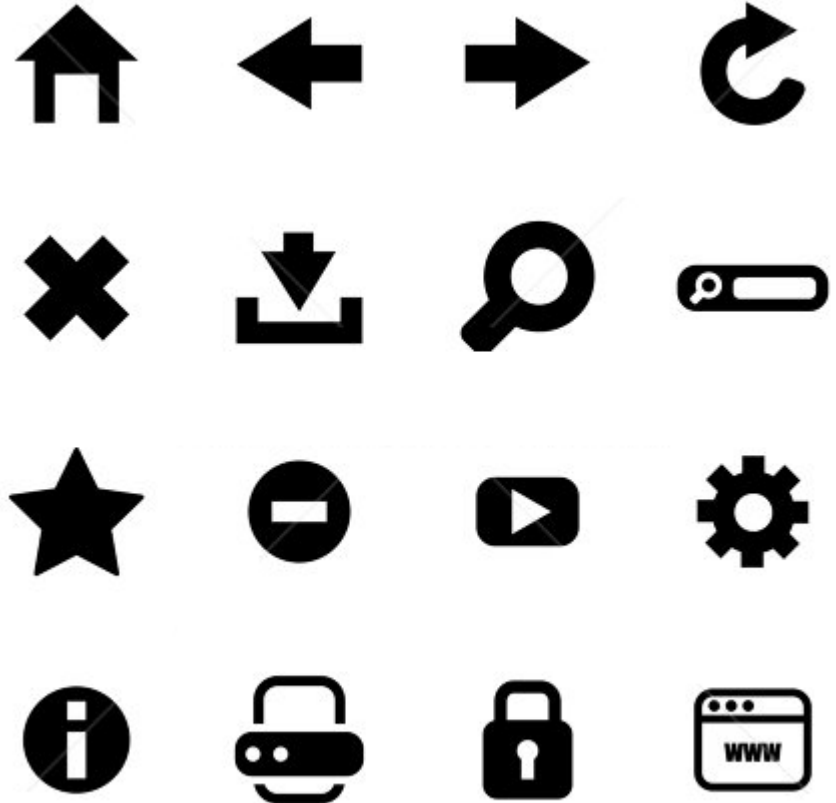
[Click here for more JUnit assertions](#)
[Benefits of assertThat](#)

CHAPTER 6

NAVIGATION

What can you do with a browser?

- navigate to url
- get title, get url
- take screenshot
- refresh page,
- close browser/tab
- send keys
- execute script



Navigation

Loading a web page in current browser window

- `driver.get(java.lang.String)`
- `driver.navigate().to(java.lang.String)`
- `driver.navigate().to(java.net.URL)`



Navigation

Move back & forward

- `driver.navigate().back()`
- `driver.navigate().forward()`

Refresh page

- `driver.navigate().refresh()`



Questions





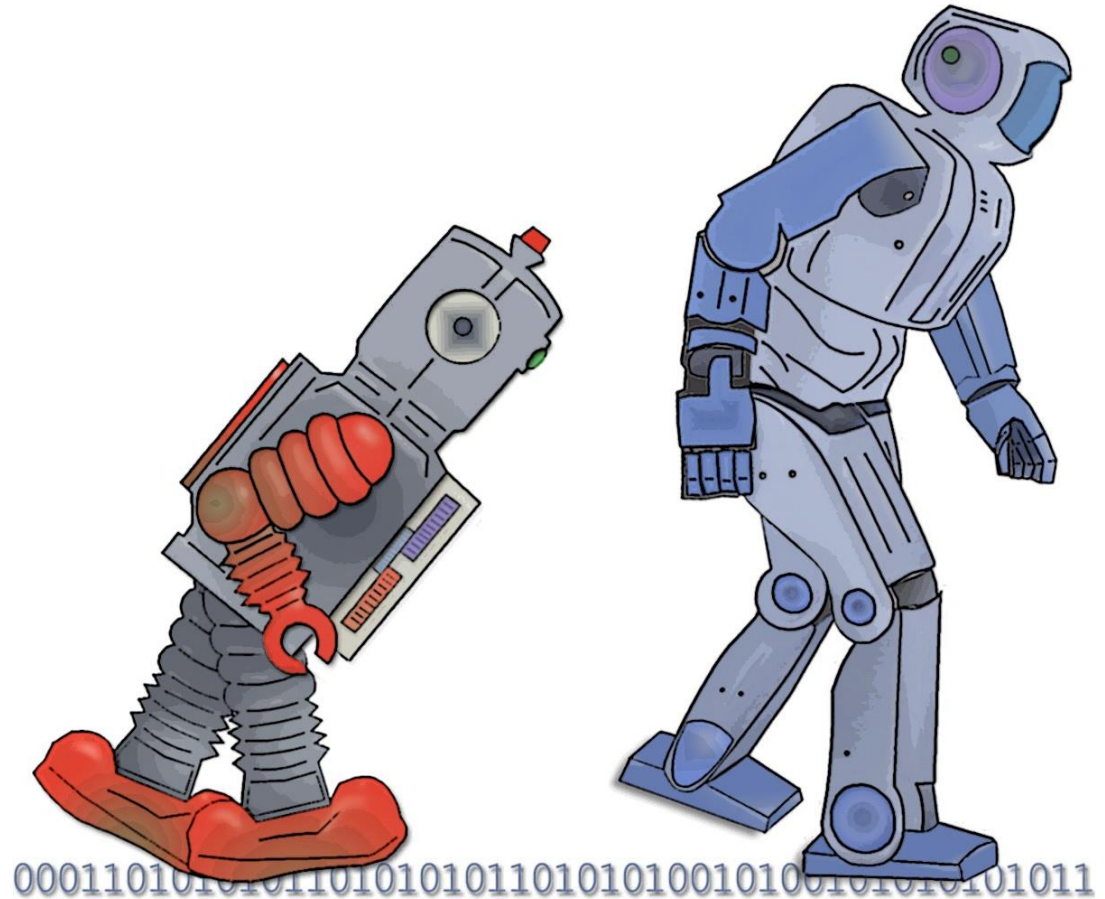
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- 2 Manipulation
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CHAPTER 1

INTERROGATION

Interrogation

Window Title

- `driver.getTitle()`

Current URL

- `driver.getCurrentUrl()`

Page Source

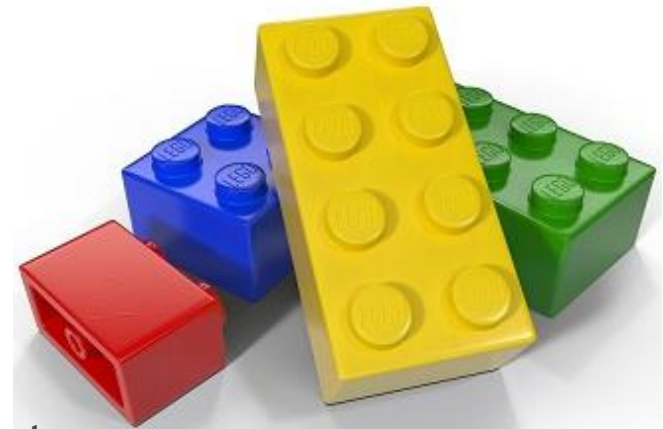
- `driver.getPageSource()`



Interrogation

Locating web elements

- `driver.findElement(org.openqa.selenium.By)`
 - 0 match -> throws exception
 - 1 match -> returns a `WebElement` instance
 - 2+ matches -> returns only the first match from web page
- `driver.findElements(org.openqa.selenium.By)`
 - 0 match -> returns an empty list
 - 1 match -> returns a list with one `WebElement`
 - 2+ matches -> returns list with all matching `WebElements`



Interrogation

By class

- Supports various locator strategies
- By locating mechanisms
 - id
 - className
 - linkText
 - partialLinkText
 - name
 - tagName
 - cssSelector
 - xpath



Interrogation

Inspecting elements in web browsers

- Firefox
 - Firebug add-on (Right click -> Inspect element / F12)
 - Firefinder add-on (Try out your CSS & Xpath expressions)
- Chrome
 - Built-in (Right click -> Inspect element / F12)
- IE
 - Built-in (Tools -> Developer Tools / F12)



Interrogation

Id

- `driver.findElement(By.id("some_id"));`
- Ideal solution, however...
 - Ids don't always exist
 - Their uniqueness is not enforced
 - Used by developers as well



ClassName

- `driver.findElement(By.className("some_class_name"));`

Interrogation

Linktext

- `driver.findElement(By.linkText("Sign in"));`
- `driver.findElement(By.partiallinkText("Sign"));`

Name

- `<input id="modCustLoginPassword" name="password">`
- `driver.findElement(By.name("password"));`

Interrogation

tagName

- `<label>Email address</label>`
- `driver.findElement(By.tagName("label"));`

Support classes

- Return all that matches **each** of the locators in sequence
 - `driver.findElements(new ByChained(by1, by2))`
- Return all that matches **any** of the locators in sequence
 - `driver.findElements(new ByAll(by1, by2))`

Interrogation

CssSelector

- Absolute path

- `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("html>body>div>p>input"));`

- Relative path

- `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("input"));`

- Attribute selection

- `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("button[name]"));`

- `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("button[name=,cancel']"));`

- `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("img:not[alt]"));`



Interrogation

CssSelector

- Id selection
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("#save"));`
- Class selection
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector(".login"));`
- Combined selection
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("button#save"));`
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("input.login"));`



Interrogation

CssSelector

- First matching child of the specified tag
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("div#students:first-child"));`
- Nth matching child of the specified tag
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("#loginForm:nth-child(3)"));`
- First matching enabled tag
 - `driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("button:enabled"));`

Interrogation

XPath

- Absolute path
 - `driver.findElement(By.xpath("html/body/p/input"));`
- Relative path
 - `driver.findElement(By.xpath("//input"));`
- Attribute selection
 - `driver.findElement(By.xpath("//input[@id='username']"));`
 - `driver.findElement(By.xpath("//*[@id='myId']"))`



Interrogation

Element interrogation

- `element.getText();`
- `element.getAttribute();`
- `element.tagName();`
- `element.isDisplayed();`
- `element.isEnabled();`
- `element.isSelected();` -> checkbox is selected or not
- `selectElement.isMultiple();` -> multi select listbox or not
- `selectElement.getOptions();` -> listbox select options

CHAPTER 2

MANIPULATION

Manipulation

Click

- `element.click()`
 - Button
 - Link
 - Checkbox
 - Combobox



Submit

- `form.submit()`
 - Form

Manipulation

Shift + Click

- `New Actions(driver).keyDown(Keys.SHIFT).click(element).`

`keyUp(Keys.SHIFT).build().perform();`

Special Actions

- `new Actions(driver).moveToElement(element).build().perform();`
- `new Actions(driver).contextClick().build().perform();`
- `new Actions(driver).doubleClick().build().perform();`
- `new Actions(driver).clickAndHold().build().perform();`
- `new Actions(driver).release().build().perform();`

Manipulation

Type text

- `element.sendKeys("string")`
 - Input field

Clear text

- `element.clear()`



Manipulation

Listbox Selection

- `new Select(element).selectByIndex(elementCount)`

Listbox Manipulating Commands

- `select[ByIndex, ByVisibleText, ByValue]`
- `deselect[ByIndex, ByVisibleText, ByValue]`
- `deselectAll()`

CHAPTER 3

WINDOW HANDLING

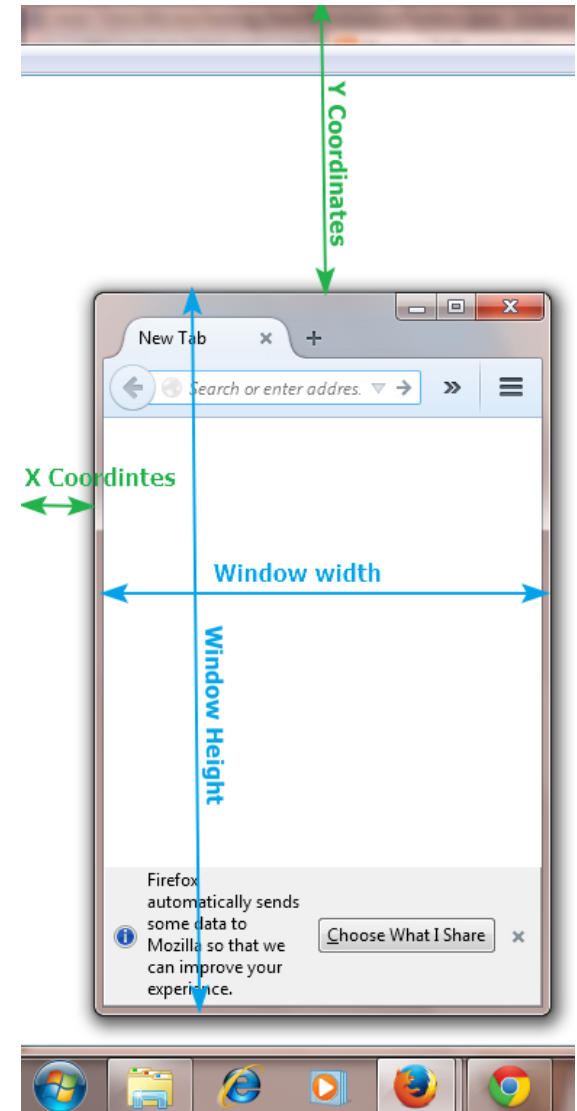
Window Handling

Size

- `driver.manage().window().getSize()` `.getHeight();`
`.getWidth();`
- `driver.manage().window().setSize(Dimension d);`
- `driver.manage().window().maximize();`

Position

- `driver.manage().window().getPosition()` `.getX();`
`.getY();`
- `driver.manage().window().setPosition(Point p);`



Window Handling

Handles

- `String windowHandle = driver.getWindowHandle();`
- `Iterator<String> windowIterator = browser.getWindowHandles();`

Switch To

- `driver.switchTo().window(windowHandle);`

CHAPTER 4

SCREENSHOTS

Screenshots

Advantages

- Keep track of changing UI
- Store pages with error



Example

- File screenshot =

```
((TakesScreenshot)driver).getScreenshotAs(OutputType.FILE);
```

- FileUtils.copyFile(screenshot, new File(fileSource));

Questions





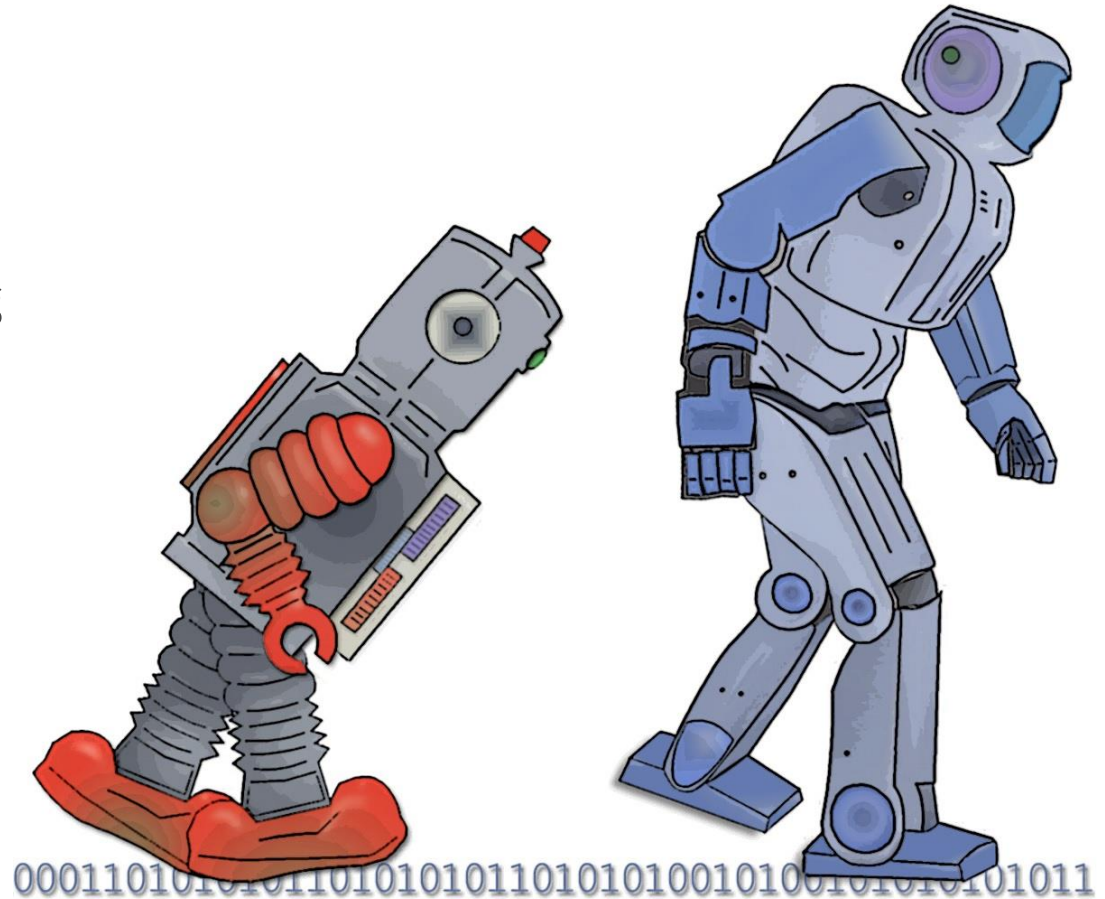
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CHAPTER 1

SYNCHRONIZATION

Synchronization

Page Load Timeout

- Sets the amount of time to wait for a page load to complete
- Global setting of the Webdriver object
- Negative value means indefinite wait time

Example

- `driver.manage().timeouts().pageLoadTimeout(30, TimeUnit.SECONDS);`

Synchronization

Implicit Wait

- Specifies the waiting time for element not immediately visible
- Global setting of the Webdriver object
- 0 by default

Example

- `driver.manage().timeouts().implicitlyWait(5, TimeUnit.SECONDS);`

Synchronization

Explicit Wait

- Waiting for a certain condition
- Poor alternative
 - `Thread.sleep(1000);`
- Recommended
 - `WebDriverWait` class

Example

- `WebDriverWait wait = new WebDriverWait(driver, TIME_OUT_IN_SECONDS);`
- `wait.until(ExpectedConditions.method);`



Synchronization

ExpectedConditions class

- `presenceOfElementLocated(By locator)`
- `textToBePresentInElement(WebElement element, java.lang.String text)`
- `titleContains(java.lang.String title)`
- `visibilityOf(WebElement element)`
- `invisibilityOfElementLocated(By locator)`
- `elementToBeSelected(WebElement element)`
- `elementToBeClickable(By locator)`

[Click here for more ExpectedConditions](#)

Synchronization

Fluent Wait

- Provides more control than ExplicitWait:

- Specify polling time
- Ignore exception classes



Example

```
Wait<WebDriver> wait = new FluentWait<WebDriver>(driver)

    .withTimeout(5, TimeUnit.SECONDS).pollingEvery(1, TimeUnit.SECONDS)

    .ignoring(NoSuchElementException.class);

wait.until(ExpectedConditions.alertIsPresent());
```

CHAPTER 2

COOKIES

Cookies

Introduction

- Useful for testing the login feature
- Getting or setting session IDs
- Cookie attributes
 - Name
 - Value
 - Domain
 - Path
 - Expiry
 - Secure
 - Http only



Cookies

Interrogation

- Get all cookies from the current session
 - `driver.manage().getCookies();`
- Get cookie with a given name
 - `driver.manage().getCookieNamed(cookieToTest);`

Cookies

Manipulation

- Delete all cookies from the current session
 - `driver.manage().deleteAllCookies()`
- Delete a specific cookie
 - `driver.manage().deleteCookie(TestCookie);`
- Delete cookie with a given name
 - `driver.manage().deleteCookieNamed(cookieToTest);`

Cookies

Manipulation

- Add a specific cookie
 - `Cookie cookie = new Cookie("mycookie", "123456");`
 - `driver.manage().addCookie(cookie);`
- Domain attribute is the current document by default